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IN MEETING WITH AMBASSADOR OCTOBER 10, ISRAELI
AMBASSADOR BEN YAACOV SAID HE IS SOMEWHAT "LESS
HOPEFUL" THAN AT TIME THEIR PREVIOUS CONVERSATION
(REFTEL) ABOUT FUTURE OF NIGERIAN-ISRAELI RELATIONS.
NEVERTHELESS, BEN YAACOV CONTINUED, HE IS STILL "NOT
PESSIMISTIC" AT PRESENTTIME. HE SEES IMMEDIATE
DETERMINANT OF FMG POLICY TO BE COURSE OF CURRENT
CONFLICT, WITH SPECTACULAR ISRAELI MILITARY SUCCESS
PERHAPS CREATING PRESSURES WHICH FMG WILL BE UNABLE
TO RESIST. UNDER SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES, HE FEELS,
NIGERIA MIGHT HAVE GREAT DIFFICULTY IN MAINTAINING
BILATERAL RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL.
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